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1. I received a briefing by and of the Technical Services Division on the new security envelope pouching system mentioned in the Office of Security Weekly Report of 4 October 1965. The envelope is still in the initial stage of testing, and much remains to be done. I felt that it would be premature to mention this at the Executive Committee Meeting and asked to be informed of the development and planned use of these envelopes after the system has been developed.

2. After the DD/S Staff Meeting I spoke to about the Office of Computer Services' delays in meeting DD/S computer requirements, specifically those of the Offices of Finance, Logistics, and Personnel. I asked him to look into the problem, particularly since the 501 has broken down twice, we have had to use an alternate computer in Baltimore to meet the payroll on time, the 501 is operating at capacity, and we have no spare computer in case of emergency. I told him that 501's are now selling for between \$80,000 and \$100,000 and that I would like consideration to be given to the purchase of another computer to serve as a spare until the end of calendar year 1967 when the program can be converted to the IBM 360. I also reminded Jack that the Office of Computer Services is designed to provide computer services to the entire Agency and that we expect the service to be maintained. Jack said that he would look into the problem and the results of the meetings between the Office of Finance and the Office of Computer Services about the delay in Finance computer runs.

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